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SIMMONS' QUALITY IRON BEDS

There is no quality in Iron Bed Construction that is superior to "Simmons Quality." They are made in the most modern factory in the United States by expert artisans in the Iron Bed industry.

We are carrying a splendid line of this splendid bed in white and colors at prices from 16.50 to 2.50. Our line of mattresses is also complete and we invite your inspection of the Southern Cotton Oil Co's line of "Purity Felts." Prices 15.00 to 6.95, your money back after 30 nights if they are not as represented.

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We believe that we offer every facility for prompt and proper Banking Business. We want your account. If you inquire around you will observe that this Bank everywhere enjoys a most enviable reputation for uniform courteous attention. We can handle your account to your satisfaction. And we will.

TURNIPS

There were three turnips and one was white, And one was yellow and one was red. They grew and they grew by day and night 'Til they grew as large as a cabbage head That's the way they grew.

The seed came from Hunter's Pharmacy. We have just received a fresh supply Of Turnip Seed from the Robert Buist Co. We have the following varieties: Mammoth Purple Top Globe, White Flat Dutch, Improved Yellow Ruto-Baga, White Egg and others.

Every home should have it's own "Turnip patch." A small place planted in turnips will bring bountiful returns. The sun may kill some of the first Tender plants. In that event just buy More seed and plant again! Will you phone 82 today?

Hunter's Pharmacy

Near the Postoffice
Hendersonville, N. C.

Edwards Hardware Co.

Keep Cool. Buy one of our Brightest and Best Oil Stoves. We have them all sizes, from \$1.50 up.

Fishing Tackles, Hammocks, Tennis goods, Rifles and Pistols, Cartridges all sizes.

The Famous Universal Coffee percolator.

OLD HICKORY WAGONS

at Cost

The Press Association

The North Carolina Press Association held its meeting for 1907 at Morehead City last week. On Friday the newspapermen, on special invitation, visited the thriving city of Washington, N. C. and were most royally entertained by those hospitable people. The annual meeting was the best ever held. The addresses and papers were far above the average in ability and timeliness and were very profitable to those who heard them. The business sessions were marked with usual interest. Gov. Glenn was elected an honorary member of the association, and a delegate to the national association which meets next year in St. Paul. Mr. Archibald Johnson was unanimously elected president and Mr. J. B. Sherill re-elected secretary of the association, (upon motion of M. L. Shipman.) Everybody was pleased with Mr. Johnson's election, and the people of the state will be glad to hear of it. No one could have been elected who will fill the office better.

The meeting was held at the delightful Atlantic Hotel. Mr. Frank P. Morton the manager, is a magnificent hotel man, and knows how to handle a houseful of guests. The Atlantic Hotel is feeding its guests, too, and this season it is altogether the best seaside hotel in the state. Morehead City is unsurpassed as a resort. There is no other city that so happily combines fishing, boating, boating and sun bathing. Some have one or two of these, but Morehead has them all.

The Atlantic and North Carolina railroad, the "old Mallet" under the progressive and wise management of the Norfolk & Southern railroad is without doubt one of the finest ones of roads in the state. Its service is all that could be desired, its employees courteous, its trains clean and its track smooth and straight. The towns along the line are flourishing. Beaufort, Morehead, Newbern, Kinston and Goldsboro are showing plain evidences of rapid and substantial growth. The east is a great country. There is considerable education in making a trip to Morehead City and any mountain "land-lubber" will find it profitable.

Speaking of education, the address at the meeting by Hon. John H. Small, member of congress, on the proposed inland water way, was very educating. The newspapermen were greatly pleased with Mr. Small's talk. He showed them plainly the feasibility and necessity of the inland water route, a subject that he has at his finger ends. The addresses of Mr. C. C. Moore, of the cotton association, and of Prof. J. B. Carlier of Wake Forest, two gentlemen who were among the guests of the association, were very able efforts and highly enjoyed.

The association will meet next year in Charlotte.—Dispatch.

LOCAL NEWS

Notice.

At a meeting of the Watt Bryson Camp, U. C. V., held at Hendersonville, on July 6th, 1907.

It was requested by the Camp to invite all Confederate Veterans of Transylvania County to meet with us at the county reunion to be held at Horse Shoe, on the 8th day of August, 1907.

J. M. SKEETER, Com
W. G. GULLICK, Sgt.

"Rugby's Old Maids."

The "Old Maids' Convention" and Box supper which was given at Rugby last Wednesday evening for the benefit of the new church was a success both financially and socially. The "Old Maids" consisted of about twenty charming young ladies who appeared in costumes which were "fearfully and wonderfully made." Each acted her part so well that they are given credit for having presented the best local talent it had been our pleasure to witness. The ladies at the eligible young men of the community were received with bursts of laughter and applause.

Mr. Pender made quite a "hit" with his Southern song and was heartily enjoyed. The rivalry displayed by the young men at the bidding in of the boxes showed that the culinary accomplishments of the "Old Maids" were appreciated and this fact for a change of old maids in that section, for.

"We can live without music, we can live without books, But civilized man can not live without books."

The sum of \$25. was cleared, which goes to the Baptist Church. F. G.

STODDARD'S LECTURES.

Hendersonville Book Lovers have Opportunity to Secure a Work of Great Value.

For the first time since the publication of "John L. Stoddard's Lectures on Travel," the people of Hendersonville now have the opportunity of securing this valuable work, which has been sold so extensively in the larger cities in this state as elsewhere. The agent has just come from Asheville with a large list of orders, and the following letters prove the interest in the work shown in other towns in the state.

Several sets of these books have already been sold here and it is to be hoped that every one who can possibly secure them will do so at this time, as it is an opportunity seldom offered.

Hendersonville, N. C.

July 26, 1907

I have bought "Stoddard's Lectures" because they are not only packed full of valuable information, but because they are so attractively beautiful in diction and illustration, that their charm is irresistible, and they command a reading if within one's reach.

I anticipate great pleasure for my family and myself, as we follow this gifted writer.

(Signed) Rev. D. M. LITAKER

Pastor Methodist Church

June 4, 1907.

Mr. George R. Shipman, Asheville, N. C.

My Dear Sir:—We have had in our library for the last four or five years a set of Stoddard's Lectures, and I have read a number of them, and unhesitatingly recommend them to the reading public.

They are the best and most interesting books of the kind I have ever read or seen, and, to my mind, one of their attractive features is their correctness and reliability. I had an opportunity last summer of testing their accuracy on a European trip in which I visited a number of European cities and countries described by Mr. Stoddard, after having read the Lectures, and in every single instance I found his statements and descriptions absolutely truthful and correct. I commend them especially to any person who contemplates a tour of Europe or of any of the countries described; and to those who are denied the advantages of travel they are simply invaluable as a substitute for such advantages.

Mrs. Shuford is better qualified to speak of the merits of the books than I am, for the reason that she has read them more extensively and intently than I have done. I think she has read them all, and is sorry that there are no more cities and countries for her to explore through the medium of Mr. Stoddard.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) GEO. A. SHUFORD.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan 18, 1907.

I have had "Stoddard's Lectures" for several years, and they have been a source of pleasure and profit to my family and myself, and would not be deprived of them for anything. My boy, fourteen years of age, reads them, and finds they help him in his historical studies. Stoddard seems to interweave science and facts into a delightful romance.

Yours truly,

DR. C. M. STRONG.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan 18, 1907.

"Stoddard's Lectures" need no endorsement, and I can only express my appreciation of them. They have given Mr. Sexton and myself untold pleasure, bringing to mind many happy days spent in foreign lands, and telling in an interesting manner so much that escapes the average traveler.

Without hesitation, I should call the Lectures not a luxury, but a necessity.

MRS. JAMES SEXTON.

Shelby, N. C., April 24.

To Whom It May Concern

I bought a set of "Stoddard's Lectures" when I did not see my way clear to do so, but I now feel that I made wise sacrifice in the transaction. They are the most richly illustrated books I have ever seen. Stoddard's descriptive power manifests a rare and unique genius, his diction is faultless, and his style entertains like a good story. He gives one the kind of information they can not get from geographies, histories and encyclopedias, and they can only be obtained by travel. I consider them a valuable possession.

Very truly,

Rev. M. E. PARRISH

Pastor First Baptist Church.

Asheville, N. C., May 31, 1907.

Several years ago I bought a set of "Stoddard's Lectures," and have never regretted the purchase.

I know of no books that give one such delightful accounts of travel in many lands. They are the best substitute and the best preparation for a trip around the world.

Rev. R. F. CAMPBELL,

Pastor Presbyterian Church



Queen Quality TAN SHOES

\$ 3.50 & 3.00

THE vogue of the Tan Shoe is the natural result of the amazing demand for Browns in women's suits, millinery and other apparel. Over all the country there is a shortage of Tan Shoes, so unexpectedly great has been the demand. But we foresaw it and are now supplied with just the shoes you want. As witness this handsome "Queen Quality" Shoe of Tan Russia. Just the correct shade, distinctly stylish, soft, mellow, comfortable.

Hendersonville Mercantile Co.

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A Few Items 5 cents will buy

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| Handsome Glass Cream Pitcher 10c | Patent Fruit Jar Filler 10c |
| China Cream Pitcher 10c | Steak Pounder 10c |
| 25c 16 inch Glass Vase 10c | Large Bath Towel 10c |
| 20c Broom 10c | 25c Hair Brush 10c |
| 3 cakes Octagon Soap 10c | Patent Flour Sifter 10c |
| 3 cakes Jumbo Soap 10c | Hand Mirror 10c |
| 3 cakes Fairy Soap 10c | Picture Worth 15 to 20c at 10c |
| 3 boxes Grandma Washing Powder 10c | 3 boxes Stove Polish 10c |
| 7 double sh's Tanglefoot fly paper 10c | |

Bargains in Every Department

On Saturday we will give with purchase amounting to \$1.00 or more a handsome souvenir. One to a customer.

Our place is known as Hendersonville's Bargain Headquarters, or

THE RED STORE

H. REDWOOD & CO.
Asheville, N. C.

Dealers in Fine Dress Goods, Staple Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Ladies' Suits, Skirts Waists, etc.

Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Hats, Furnishing Goods, Umbrellas, Trunks, Bags, Suit-Cases, Fine Shoes, etc.

Sheets, Pillow Cases, Towels, Napkins, Table Damasks, Curtains, Portieres, Floor Rugs, Matting, etc.

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